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**GOVERNMENT OF GOA**  
Department of Inland Waterways  
Captain of Ports

#### Notification

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The following draft rules which the Government of Goa proposes to make in exercise of the powers conferred by section 6 read with sections 33, 34, 35, 39, 46 and 47 of the Indian Ports Act, 1908 (Central Act 15 of 1908) (hereinafter referred to as the "said Act") so as to further amend the Goa Ports Rules, 1983 are hereby pre-published as required by sub-section (2) of section 6 of the said Act, for information of all the persons likely to be affected thereby and notice is hereby given that the said rules will be taken into consideration by the Government after expiry of a period of fifteen days from the date of publication of this Notification in the Official Gazette.

All objections and/or suggestions to the said draft Rules may be forwarded to the Captain of Ports and ex officio Joint Secretary to the Government of Goa, Captain of Ports Department, Panaji, before the expiry of the

said period of fifteen days so that they may be taken into consideration at the time of finalization of the said draft Rules.

#### DRAFT RULES

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 6 read with sections 33, 34, 35, 39, 46 and 47 of the Indian Ports Act, 1908 (Central Act 15 of 1908), and all other powers enabling it in this behalf, the Government of Goa hereby makes the following rules so as to further amend the Goa Ports Rules, 1983, namely:—

1. *Short title and commencement.*— (1) These rules may be called the Goa Ports (Amendment) Rules, 2023.

(2) They shall come into force from the date of their final publication in the Official Gazette.

2. *Amendment of rule 54A.*— In rule 54A of the Goa Ports Rules, 1983, for sub-rule (1), the following sub-rule shall be substituted, namely:—

"(1) No Government riverine land shall be used for any purpose by any person without prior written permission of the Captain of Ports and without making advance payment of rental charges as specified in the Schedule annexed:

SCHEDULE		
Sr. No.	Type of Use	Charges per sq. mtrs. per month in Rs.
1	2	3
1.	<b>Mooring Charges</b>	
	a) Casinos	500/-
	b) Floating Hotels/Restaurants	500/-
	c) Floating Jetty/Platforms/ /Pontoon	400/-
	d) Offshore Vessel/Transhippers	500/-
	e) Other Vessels	50/-
2.	<b>Jetty Spaces</b>	
	a) Casino for office etc.	3000/-
	b) River Cruises	100/-
	c) Fishing	50/-
	d) Water Sports	50/-
3.	<b>Usage of Riverine Land</b>	
	a) Loading Concrete Jetty	100/-
	b) Dry Dock/Slipway in Government Riverine Land	100/-
	c) Water Frontage for Workshop	200/-
	d) Temporary Wooden Jetty	100/-

1	2	3
4.	Usage of departmental land for unloading fishing nets	100/-
5.	Installation of fishing cages/racks/stakes for traditional fishermen in river	10/-

Once a new permission is issued for usage of riverine land, rental charges shall be paid in advance and even if the allotted space is not used, the amount paid shall be not refunded. Penalty at the rate of 5% shall be imposed for failure to renew permission before its expiry and for annual renewal of permission inspection fees of Rs. 1000/- shall be charged. Also, for issue of new permission, inspection fees of Rs. 2000/- shall be charged. For issue of new permission for repairs of riverine bund fees of Rs. 10,000/- shall be charged."

By order and in the name of the  
Governor of Goa.

Shri. *Vikas S. N. Gaunekar*, Captain of Ports  
& ex officio Jt. Secretary (Ports).

Panaji, 6th February, 2023.

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